



*[Signature]*  
PATENT

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 50402/002002

Certificate of Mailing: Date of Deposit: 1/23/08

I hereby certify under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as **first class mail** with sufficient postage on the date indicated above and is addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Colleen Lombard

Printed name of person mailing correspondence

Colleen Lombard

Signature of person mailing correspondence

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	John Nieland	Confirmation No.:	6391
Serial No.:	10/528,308	Art Unit:	4173
Filed:	September 12, 2005	Examiner:	N.M. Westerberg
Customer No.:	21559		
Title:	INHIBITORS OF THE FATTY ACID OXIDATION FOR THE PROPHYLAXIS AND/OR THE TREATMENT OF CHRONIC AND/OR ATOPIC SKIN DISEASES		

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

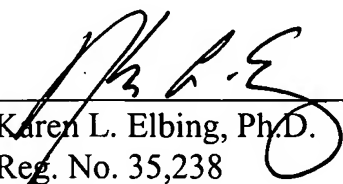
In reply to the Restriction Requirement that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned case on December 21, 2007, Applicant elects the invention of Group I, claims 1-22, and the following species: (i) 2-(6-(4-chlorophenoxy)hexyl)oxirane-2-carboxylic acid ethyl ester (Etomoxir) as the inhibitor of fatty acid oxidation; (ii) inhibits Carnitin-Palmitoyl-Transferase-1 (CPT-1) as the effect of the inhibitor; (iii) psoriasis as

the disease or disorder; and (iv) administration of the inhibitor without combination with further therapy. Claims readable on these species are 1-5, 16, 17, and 20-22. The election is made without traverse.

If there are any charges or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 03-2095.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 23 Jan 2008

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Karen L. Elbing, Ph.D.  
Reg. No. 35,238

Clark & Elbing LLP  
101 Federal Street  
Boston, MA 02110  
Telephone: 617-428-0200  
Facsimile: 617-428-7045